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**REQUEST FOR MISSING NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE (FORM PTOL-85)**

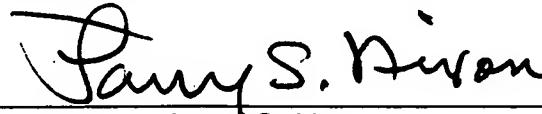
The Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) dated April 3, 2009, was not accompanied by the usual Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85). Furthermore, such form is missing from the IFW accessible via PAIR (notwithstanding two misleading labelled entries for such in the IFW). Applicants' representative telephoned the Examiner on April 8, 2009, and the Examiner indicated that such missing Form PTOL-85 would be forthcoming.

Investigation and issuance of a proper Form PTOL-85 are respectfully requested at the earliest possible date.

Respectfully submitted,

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